



Open Space Committee

Meeting Agenda Thursday, February 28, 2019, 7:30 pm 1st floor of Town Hall Annex

Review/approve minutes of January 24 meeting (John)

OSC Administration/Communications

- OSC line item (\$300) in Town budget approved by Finance Committee – now goes to Town Meeting vote in May
- Post new walking routes information on OSC/Town website once finalized
- Update Magnolia Park, Robbins Farm Park and other info on "Experiencing Arlington" (Brian, Elisabeth, Kelsey, Emily)
- Maintain Facebook page (Kelsey)

Open Space and Recreation Plan (2015-2022)

- Update tracking projects, actions and accomplishments (Wendy via Google drive)
- Start planning for funding options for consultant for Plan update in 2020-2022

Take A Walk/Connecting Arlington's Open Spaces

- Continue discussion of walking routes, new format, etc. (Wendy, John, Brian, Elisabeth)

Picture Post (John)

- Explore adding posts at Spy Pond, along Mill Brook, Robbins Farm and Magnolia Community Gardens, etc. in spring 2019

Updates on CPA projects (2018-2019)

- MyRWA/Town Wellington/Mill Brook – design and environmental assessment
- Arlington Reservoir #2 – pump house, filtering system, pilot trail improvements
- Hardy School playground study and plan
- CPA applications for 2019-2020 under review for approval by Town Meeting in May

Other News and Reports

- Arlington High School "open space" concerns; letter sent; meeting with some members of the Building Committee on 2/25
- Municipal Vulnerability Grant - Mill Brook at Wellington Park; complete by 6/30 (Emily)
- Public Lands Maintenance working group (David)
- Arlington's Great Meadows – public access concerns (David)
- EcoFest/Energy/Power Day Sunday, Feb 3; Eco-Week events April 22-28 (Emily)
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2019 Meeting Dates: Mar 28, Apr 25 (Eco-Week), May 23, June 27, July and Aug TBD, Sept 26, Oct 24, Nov 14, Dec 12 – 1st floor Annex meeting room reserved